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Sir:

INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

In accordance with their duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. §1.56, applicants direct the Examiner's attention to the documents listed below as references 1 and 2 and on Form PTO-1449 attached hereto as Exhibit B. Copies of references 1 and 2 are attached hereto as Exhibits 1 and 2, respectively.

1. U.S. Patent No. 4,859,609, issued August 22, 1989, Dull, et al. (Exhibit 1); and
2. U.S. Patent No. 4,837,237, issued June 6, 1989, Rohrschneider, et al. (Exhibit 2).

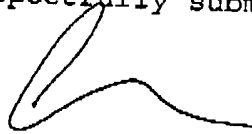
Applicants request that the Examiner review the references and make them of record in the subject application.

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If a telephone interview would be of assistance in advancing prosecution of the subject application, applicants' undersigned attorneys invite the Examiner to telephone them at the number provided below.

No fee, other than the enclosed \$310.00 sum, is deemed necessary in connection with the filing of this Information Disclosure Statement. However, if any additional fee is required, authorization is hereby given to charge the amount of such fee to Deposit Account No. 03-3125.

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